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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Application of Atsushi NARUSAWA

METHOD FOR CONTROLLING IMAGE FORMATION AND IMAGE

FORMATION METHOD

Assignee: SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION

Our Ref. Q78953

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twenty-seven (27) sheets of the specification (Japanese Language), including the claims and abstract and seventeen (17) sheets of drawings. The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, English Translation, copies of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

| Total claims | 13 - 20 | = | x | \$18.00 | = | \$.00 |
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The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted, SUGHRUE MION, PLLC

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